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Sir:

With reference to the filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office of an application for patent in the name(s) of:

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entitled:

PROCESS FOR IMMOBILIZATION OF NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES ON A SUBSTRATE

The following are enclosed:

- ☒ Specification (10 pages)
- ☒ 4 Sheet(s) of Drawings
- ☒ 14 Claim(s) (including 1 independent claim(s))
- ☐ This application contains a multiple dependent claim

- ☒ Our check for \$ 780.00, calculated on the basis of the claims as amended by any enclosed preliminary amendment as follows:

Basic Fee, \$740.00 (\$370.00)	\$ 740.00
Number of Claims in excess of 20 at \$18.00 (\$9.00) each:	-0-
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- ☒ Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney

☒ New ☒ signed ☐ unsigned
☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d))

- ☐ Certified copy of each of the following application(s) to substantiate the claim(s) for priority made in the Declaration:

<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Filed</u>	<u>In</u>
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Respectfully submitted,

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